



PATENT APPLICATION
Serial No. 09/038,230
Atty. Docket No. 1217-980347

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit 1712 :
In re Application of :
TSUGUO KOYANAGE ET AL. :
Serial No. 09/038,230 :
Filed March 11, 1998 :
Examiner - Daniel S. Metzmaier :

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Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
April 18, 2002

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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant requests a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding final Office Action. The outstanding Action was mailed on December 19, 2001, and the period set for response was three months, bringing the response to be due on March 19, 2002. Therefore, a one-month extension of time will bring the response due on April 19, 2002.

A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Amendment are filed concurrently herewith.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on April 18, 2002.

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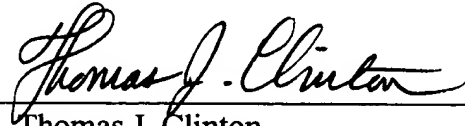
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The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. One (1) original and two (2) copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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